

# IN SCOTLAND AND FRANCE

Letter From Home Good to Look On  
For the Lads Over There — Pleasantly Located in a Scenic Land But Wishes He Was in France -- Fed Up On Training—Thinks of Home

The following letter from J. Darby Kenyon represents, we believe, the feeling of most of our boys who are overseas in regard to the letters from home. We over hear, with their duties and happenings of home, life constantly occupying their attention, can hardly appreciate the value to the "lads far away" of a cheery letter from home. Keep on writing, even though you may not hear from them. "No news is good news" for if anything goes wrong with them the government will let you know—and there are many hindrances to the overseas mail.

On the Fourth of July, just one month after it was dated, I received a letter from Brad, and he writes me without saying that it was good to look on.

I like Scotland ever so much; the country is delightful in many ways, and a wee bit prettier than England, at least the parts of England I have been in—quite in contrast to the rugged and barren hills and rugged stages of England; here they are in a variety whitewashed and stand out brightly against the vivid green of the hillsides and valleys. The country is quite rolling and in some places almost level. I can see the sea from my window out to sea and can almost imagine Ireland through the haze.

We are billeted here quite comfortably in a fine house, and I think Britain's best summer hotels, and it's really hard to realize such surroundings while actually on duty.

It's very likely I will be here only a short time, and I expect to go to France from here; at any rate I hope so. I am pretty well fed up with being all the time in training; it's really suspense that has a tendency to become oppressive, I find.

Well, folks, I sure wish I was with you this Sunday, but there's war on—I guess you realize that don't you? Well, believe me, I do, and I haven't even seen it yet; but here's hoping that I will see you

Well, at last I'm in the proverbial "Somewhere," quite within sound of the big guns and real activity only a week ago I wrote you from Bonny Scotland—an awful lot of change can take place within or short week; eh, what?

I suppose there is no harm in telling you that I am attached to the R. A. F. and doubtless will be for some time. I really can't tell you or rather haven't much to tell you.

Well, folks, every day that passes means one day nearer return to the States, and I think all our millions over here never liked the S. A. better than they do now. You can't appreciate a good thing while you have it; I know when I go back I'll be perfectly satisfied and I'm rich there.

I'm inclined to be just a bit jive on the subject of fellows who are nice in the States but who are not desk jobs in Washington, and you don't believe I'd trade places with any of them.

them, on the square, I don't.  
All kinds of love,  
DARBY.

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**FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY**  
— Clyde L. Canfield, candidate for the nomination for Prosecuting Attorney, is subject to the decision of the Republican primaries, August 13th, stating that owing to the time he has given to the various war activities he has been unable to make a personal canvass of the voters of this county and takes this method of earnestly soliciting their support.

Mr. Canfield is 39 years of age, was admitted to the bar, June, 1901, and has resided in this county practically all his life.—Adv.

JOHN C. MILEY  
For County Commissioner  
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